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SUBJECT: SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING ON RHODESIA

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1. ABSENCE OF COMMUNICATIONS AT EMBASSY SINCE MARCH 6 HAS MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR EMBASSY TO KEEP UP WITH FAST BREAKING DEVELOPMENTS ON RHODESIA, OR TO CARRY OUT INSTRUCTIONS WHICH WE UNDERSTAND FROM THE COMMUNICATIONS ROOM IN PRETORIA ARE BACKING UP FOR US.

2. FROM WHAT PRESIDETIAL AIDE FERNANDO HONWANA TOLD ME ON MARCH 6. AMBASSADOR LOBO IN NEW YORK HAD REQUESTED INSTRUCTIONS FOR UPCOMING SECURITY COUNCIL DEBATE ON RHODESIA AND HAD BEEN TOLD THAT HE SHOULD BE GUIDED BY CONFIDENTIAL

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MOZAMBIQUE COMMUNIQUE OF FEBRUARY 23 (MAPUTO 216) IN WHICH MOZAMBIQUE CONDEMNED THE INTERNAL ACCORD AND ATKTHE SAME REAFFIRMED ITS SUPPORT FOR THE PRINCIPLES IN THE ANGLO-AMERICAN PLAN. LOBO WAS ALSO TOLD TO CONSULT CLOSELY WITH HIS FRONT LINE COLLEAGUES IN NEW YORK.

3. IN MAY MEETING ON OUR WEEKEND THINKING AS REGARDS

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THE UPCOMING UNSC SESSION. HONWANA SAID HE WOULD PASS
THE INFORMATION TO MACHEL. HONWANA HOPED WE WOULD CONTINUE
TO KEEP THE GPRM INFORMED OF EVENTS IN NEW YORK SINCE THE
GPRM'S COMMUNICATIONS WITH NEW YORK WERE POOR. I PROMISED
HIM I WOULD BUT ALAS OUR COMMUNICATIONS HAVE BEEN EVEN
POORER.
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